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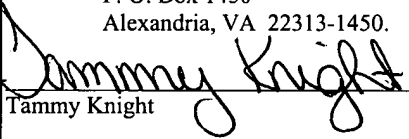

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

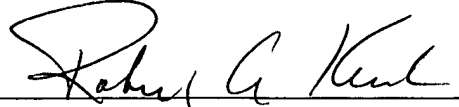
Applicants hereby submit the following documents to be filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

- Response to Final Office Action mailed on February 10, 2006; and
- Return receipt postcard.

Please date stamp and return the enclosed postcard evidencing receipt of these materials.

Applicants believe that no additional fees are due in association with the filing of this Response. However, should the Commissioner deem that any additional fees are due, including any fees for extensions of time, the Commissioner is authorized to debit the Deposit Account of Halliburton Energy Services, Inc., No. 08-0300, for any underpayment of fees that may be due in association with this filing.

Respectfully submitted,

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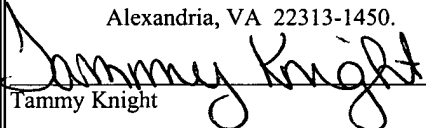

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116 TO
FINAL OFFICE ACTION, MAILED FEBRUARY 10, 2006**

Dear Honorable Commissioner:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on February 10, 2006 (the "Office Action"), the following are included:

- Listing of the Claims beginning on page 2 of this paper; and
- Remarks/Arguments beginning on page 6 of this paper.